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WEATHER for Kentucky  
Probably showers Saturday

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## EDITORIAL COMMENT

About time to begin talking up at Pennyroyal Fair for the August.

Kentucky must furnish 13,496 soldiers and Christian county's quota be about 267, or about 6 2-3 to 1,000.

Little girl in Bowling Green found roll of money on the street and turned it to a lady who advertised loss. She gave the little girl \$10.

J. C. Hotelling, of Mapleton, Minn., elected president of the National Editorial Association at the closing of the association at Minneapolis.

been definitely decided to Kentucky-Indiana division national guard to Annapolis, Md. and perhaps for winter.

C. Harper, of Lynchburg, chosen as grand exalted the annual convention of the Atlantic City as the place of meeting.

Don of sixteen camp sites for national guard was completed by when Secretary Baker at Hattiesburg, Miss., and Alexandria, and announced the change Fayetteville, N. C., site to N. C.

acts for 1,175,000 pairs of shoes at an average price of \$1.50. The awards include pairs of marching shoes and 10 pairs of field shoes.

Goldman, the most dangerous man in the United States, is the federal prison at Jeffersville, Mo., to serve a two-year term for attempting to obstruct the draft law. She said on arriving was not a martyr and would follow the rules of the prison in every

ed Cocchi, the brute who as I and then murdered Ruth Kruhigh school girl, who went into op in New York to have her repaired, offered to spare the life if she would keep silent during the attack, but when she sued to scream he killed her. These details in his confession.

Seven members of the Industrial Workers of the World were sent out of Jerome, Ariz., for organizing a strike in the mines. They were loaded into cattle cars and sent to a station 27 miles away by armed citizens. Arriving at Needles, Cal., they were started back to Arizona on the next train.

Submission of a "bone dry" amendment to the constitution will be insisted upon at the next session of the general assembly by Gov. Stanley. He said in a letter to Dr. W. B. Bannon, of Stanford, that "loyal Americans who have hitherto dissented on this controverted question are now united in an earnest desire to have it finally determined." The letter was made public simultaneously with a statement from A. J. Alexander, head of the Democratic Forward League, denying that the league is being used to elect an assembly hostile to the administration, and charging that Gov. Stanley has "publicly declared that he would oppose any dry amendment when submitted."

## Against Free Advertising.

Opposition to free advertising and publicity by newspapers of the county was voiced by speakers at the convention of the National Editorial Association at Minneapolis. Appointment of a field secretary of the association to conduct a campaign against free advertising was recommended by one of the delegates.

Mrs. Ann Ponder, aged 110, the oldest woman in Maryland, died Tuesday.

## U. S. WILL MAKE WAITING LIST

First Numerals Selected Will Call Men Into the Army Of September.

9,800,000 AWAIT THE CALL

Each Numeral Will Designate More Than 4,000 Men For Service.

Washington, July 13.—Drawing of lots for the selective draft not only will determine what men are to be called to the colors in the first war army, but will show in what order the others registered will be liable for service when later armies are organized. It was revealed that a plan of drawing will be followed under which a definite place in the waiting lists will be given every one of the millions who registered. Those standing at the head of the list in each county or city district will be called first before the examination boards and then the obligation will pass on down the line as long as men are needed. This does not mean that a separate name or number will be drawn for everyone of the country's 9,800,000 registrants. In fact every number drawn under the theory of the plan, will represent more than 4,000 men, one for each of the registration districts.

### THE SELECTION PLAN.

Details of the system have not been made public, but an outline of its principal features follows:

Every registration board has numbered the cards in its possession in red ink, beginning at number 1 and continuing to a number corresponding with the total in the district.

At the drawing numbers will be used ranging from number 1 up to a number corresponding to the total in the largest district of the country.

The first number drawn will determine what man in each district is to be taken first. If it be number 10, for example, it will mean that the man in each district holding local card number 10 will be called for examination before any of the other men in that district.

The second number drawn will determine what man in each district is to be taken second, and so on as long as men are needed. Those not needed for the first war army will retain their positions on the lists and these positions will determine the order of their liability when they are needed.

### EACH LEARNS THE ORDER OF HIS LIABILITY.

The drawing will be public and each number will be announced as it is drawn. At the offices of most local exemption boards the red ink numbers of the registrants already are posted, so that registrants may inform themselves before hand of their respective numbers. If they do, as soon as word of the drawing comes they will know just what order of liability they stand.

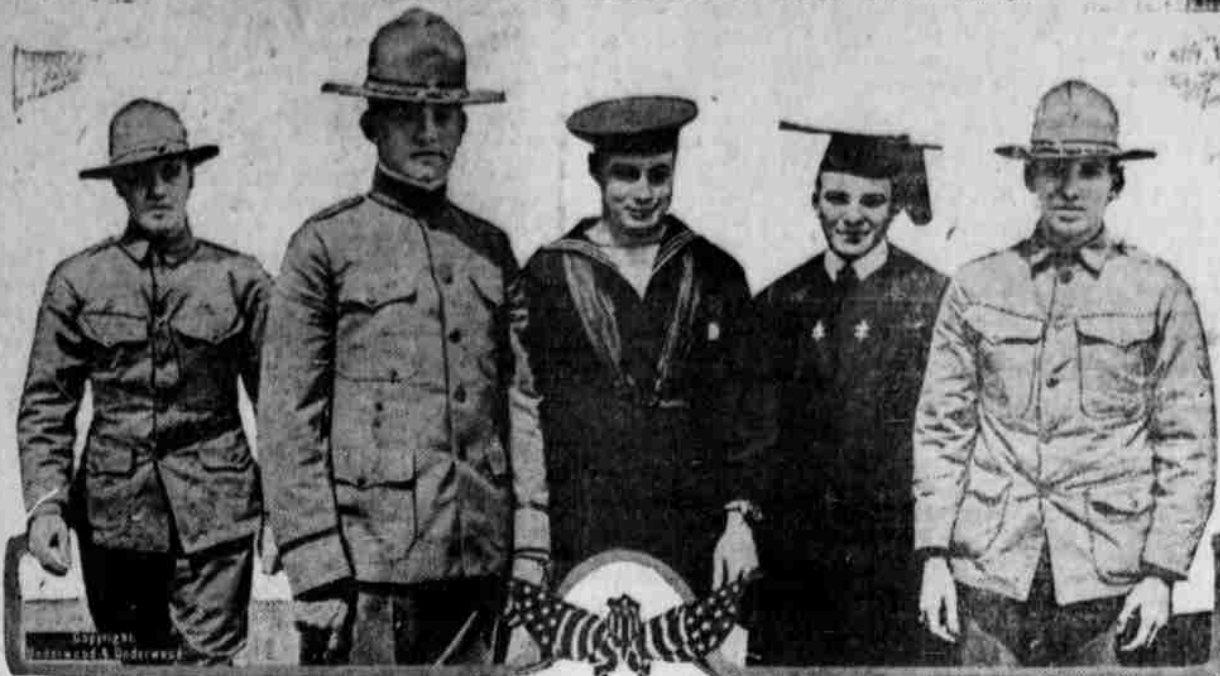
Obviously there will be high numbers drawn for which there are no corresponding registrants in small districts. The smallest district in the country is understood to have but 187 registrants and the largest about 7,000. Whenever a number beyond the total in any given district comes out it will operate as a blank for that district. Thus if the theory works evenly the larger districts will be constantly assessed in excess of the smaller on a pro-rata basis corresponding to their size.

The drawing probably will be held some time during the week of July 23.

## DEATH OF MRS. BLAKELEY.

Mrs. Mary Ann Blakeley, widow of the late Joseph Blakeley, of Cerulean, died Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Johnson, at Fort Thomas, Ky., of paralysis. She was 76 years old and is survived by five children. The deceased was a member of the Baptist church. The interment took place at Cerulean Thursday.

## HARVARD ATHLETES ENLISTED FOR THE WAR



Left to right: E. A. Teschner, captain of the track team and sprinter; C. A. Coolidge, football player; J. E. P. Morgan, nephew of J. P. Morgan and captain of the hockey team; N. E. Burbridge, manager of the football team, and G. E. Abbott, captain of the baseball team. The most notable feature of the Harvard commencement exercises was the variety of uniforms seen in the procession. Nearly all of the graduates have enlisted in some branch of Uncle Sam's service.

## FERRELL'S BOYS PATRIOTIC

Approved The Postponement of Reunion and Purchase of Bonds.

Letters advising the members of the organization of Ferrell's Boys that a reunion would not be held next month were sent out last week, and Treasurer H. D. Wallace is receiving many letters with checks for the annual dues from the Boys in other States. All approve the idea of investing the cost of a reunion this year in liberty bonds, and some of them "chip in" to help out the bond fund. Col. M. H. Crump writes that his son is an officer in the Bowling Green Company, and Judge F. T. Glasgow writes that two of his sons are in the service of the country as officers. When the letters are all in, the military information contained in them will be transcribed to the permanent record book of the organization.

## CATTLE SALE NEAR HOWELL

Giles & Williams Will Dispose of Lot of Fine Stock July 27.

Giles & Williams will hold a big cattle sale at their farm near Howell on July 27. Several young mules and brood mares will also be sold. Among the cattle are six registered Angus bulls. Most of the others are cross-bred between Angus, Herefords and Shorthorns, all young and ready for finished beef. The sale will begin at 10:30 o'clock in the morning and will be conducted by Col. H. L. Iglehart, the well known auctioneer of Elizabethtown. A barbecued dinner will be served on the grounds. Some fine stock will be offered and the sale will doubtless draw buyers from all over Western Kentucky.

## CANS RUN OUT.

Mrs. Eloise Graves, County Canning Agent, makes the startling announcement that Christian's supply of cans is exhausted. The government has taken over the nation's canning stocks and requisitions must now be made on the Washington officials in order to get more cans. If more are wanted they should be ordered immediately from Mr. Quarles at Forbes' Hardware store, so that he can secure the cans in time.

## One For Christian.

Mrs. Lucy L. Fisher, of this city, is among the list of Kentucky teachers who were issued life teachers' certificates by the State Board of Education at Frankfort this week. The board also approved a first-class county high school at Golden Pond, Trigg county.

## OLD GLORY IS UNFURLED

Speeches and Flag Raising at Sixty School Houses in North Christian.



The flag raisings scheduled for yesterday throughout the northern part of the county, took place under most favorable conditions.

Cars were furnished by Jno. Thomas, Jno. Thurmond, Emmett Cooper, Frank Rives, W. R. Brumfield, Geo. McCord, M. C. Forbes, Judge Knight, Bailey Waller, Chester Fruit, Herman Southall, J. H. Dillman, L. J. Harris, H. W. Linton, R. T. Stowe, and the parties left town early in the morning. At every one of the sixty points where flags were to be raised a large crowd was gathered and those candidates who made the trip had a glorious chance to let loose with their heavy artillery of oratory, and praise Old Glory and at the same time win a few votes. The program was carried out as previously published. All who took lunch with them had a good time and enjoyed a fine outing. Those who forgot all about things to eat kept on forgetting at noon and had a good time just the same.

## ELKS REUNION

Over Thousand Kentucky Elks Will Invaade Hopkinstville Next Month.

The Elks' State Reunion will be held in Hopkinsville August 14, 15 and 16. This will bring to our city over a thousand registered delegates, besides their wives and friends. A meeting of the local lodge was held Thursday night and plans were discussed as to the transportation and entertainment of the delegates.

The time to get ready for the reunion is limited, but every Elk in Hopkinsville will do his part and insure the best convention of Elks ever held in Kentucky.

## Native of This County.

News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Walter Edwards at her home in Leesburg, Fla. The deceased was reared here. Death was caused by Bright's disease. She was 37 years old and is survived by her husband and seven children.

## SEMINOLE IS ITS NAME

John J. Metcalfe's New Building Given an Indian Name.

John J. Metcalfe's new building on Seventh street, occupied by two automobile companies, has been officially named by the same committee that named his Chickasaw building, Jas. O. Cook, W. R. Bowles and Chas. M. Meacham. Carrying out the same idea of perpetuating the Indian names of the tribes that passed through this city in 1838 enroute to what is now Oklahoma, the committee unanimously selected the name "Seminole." Mr. Metcalfe will accordingly have the name placed conspicuously on the building at an early date. It is a one-story brick covering half a block, built for two garages. It adjoins Hotel Latham on the east.

## AUTO COMPANY CHANGES HANDS

Thomas Wilson Buys Out the Hopkinsville Auto Co.

Thomas Wilson, one of the youngest and most enterprising business men of the city, has bought out the Hopkinsville Auto company from Odie and Arthur Davis.

Mr. Wilson will retain the present name of the Auto company and will extend the business by putting in a large stock of accessories and supplies. He will pay particular attention to a thorough and efficient repair department for which he will secure a crew of expert workmen. The garage will be kept open all night so as to accommodate those motorists who may come in late at night.

## COLORED ODD FELLOWS

State Convention of Colored Odd Fellows Closed Last Night.

Yesterday marked the closing of the colored Odd Fellows' convention in this city. The old officers were re-elected for the coming year earlier in the week. Yesterday was the day of the big celebration. The band played and the lodges paraded all over town in dress uniform. Speeches galore were made and all the colored people in this region were in town to hear them, it seemed. The convention has been a success as far as the lodge members enjoying themselves was concerned. One feature of the convention was the competitive drills between the different lodges represented. In the parade these bodies executed fancy maneuvers and everybody enjoyed it immensely.

## DRIVE WEDGE IN LEMBERGE LINE

Russians Cross Lomnica and Capture Kalusz in Swift Northwestward Smash.

## KORNILOFF PUSHES ON

Fast Fighting and Masterful Strategy Increase Hope for Capital's Capture.

Another step in the outflanking of the Austro-German armies protecting Lemberg on the east has been achieved by the Russians, who have crossed the River Lomnica and captured Kalusz. Beyond the Lomnica and south of the Dniester, west of Halicz, General Korniloff's advance continues.

When the Russians occupied Kalusz after forcing a passage of the Lomnica, they had advanced 20 miles northwestward from Stanislaw in five days. In the same time the eighth Russian army took Halle and crossed the Dniester there and began advance between Stanislaw and Bohorodzya. A great wedge has been torn in the Austro-German line south of the Dniester and the army headquarters in that region was occupied in the taking of Kalusz.

In France the British have driven off German raiding parties near the Belgian coast and west of Quant, and southeast of Arras. The aerial activity on this part of the front has been more pronounced and ten German airplanes were driven down, six out of control, by British airmen, three of whom failed to return to their base. Behind the German line, near the coast in Flanders, British airmen have attacked military objectives, causing fires and explosions.

Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the imperial German chancellor, reports in German newspapers say, has resigned.

The emperor has not yet acted on the resolution. Other reports are to the effect that the entire government will resign with the chancellor and that strong demands were being made that the government declare its stand concerning peace and internal reform. The crown council has met again, this time with German crown prince in attendance, and an imperial proclamation is looked for in some quarters.

## TWO SLACKERS LODGED IN JAIL

Two Negro Eligibles Who Failed to Register.

Uncle Sam has reached out with the long arm of the Federal law and is snagging the slackers wherever he can be found. Deputy United States Marshal D. M. Richardson and Deputy Sheriff Joe Claxton went to the southern edge of the county Wednesday and brought back Will Cobb and Tilton Brewer, both colored, who are charged with failing to register on June 5. One of the men claimed that he was sick on registration day, but his excuse is not accepted by the U. S.

The negroes were arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Frank Cunningham and were held over to the December term of federal court at Bowling Green. Bond was fixed at \$300 each, but as yet this has not been given and if not arranged the two will be confined in jail.

It is claimed that the authorities have several more names of alleged slackers and soon more may join these, the first arrested in this county.

## DIES AT STATE HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Mary C. Hunter, a native of Princeton, Ky., died at the Western State Hospital Wednesday. She was 66 years of age. The body was taken to Princeton for interment.